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SUBJECT: WHITE PAPER ON DRUG ABUSE

REF A. STATE 253482 B. WARSAW 6607, DATED NOVEMBER 1, 1974

- 1. I HAVE REVIEWED THE ACTIVITIES OF THE EMBASSY IN SUPPORT OF THE DRUG-ABUSE AND PREVENTION PROGRAM. SINCE THERE HAS BEEN NO SUBSTANTIAL CHANGE IN THE DRUG ABUSE SITUATION IN POLAND DURING THE PAST YEAR, THE EMBASSY'S POSTURE REMAINS AS STATED REF B.
- 2. THE EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED SEVERAL REQUESTS FROM THE DRUG ENFORCEMENT ADMINISTRATION TO SEND A REPRESENTATIVE HERE TO BRIEF EMBASSY PERSONNEL ON DRUG-ABUSE MATTERS AND TO ESTABLISH

CONTACTS WITH POLISH COUNTERPARTS. WHILE WE WOULD WELCOME A BRIEFING BY DEA PERSONNEL, IT REMAINS DIFFICULT UNDER PRESENT CIRCUMSTANCES TO ARRANGE MEETINGS WITH THE POLES, SINCE WE LACK EVIDENCE THAT A DRUG-ABUSE OR TRAFFICING PRO-

BLEM EXISTS HERE. WE UNDERSTAND THAT A NUMBER OF OTHER EMBASSIES, PARTICULARLY IN EASTERN EUROPE, HAVE A SIMILAR SITUATION. IN THIS REGARD, WE SUGGEST THE DEPARTMENT CONSIDER REQUESTING DEA OR CUSTOMS TO CLEAR SUCH VISITS THROUGH THE DEPARTMENT AND PROVIDE A JUSTIFICATION, IN TERMS OF ACTUAL LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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OR SUSPECTED LOCAL PROBLEMS, WHICH WOULD BE TRANSMITTED TO

THE EMBASSIES CONCERNED. THIS PROCEDURE WOULD MAKE SUCH
VISITS EFFECTIVE AND ENABLE THE EMBASSIES TO ARRANGE FOR
CONTACTS WITH APPROPRIATE AUTHORITIES.
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